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Honorable James H. Welsh
Commissioner of Conservation
Office of Conservation
Post Office Box 94275
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-4275

Re: O Zone, Reservoir B
Siph Davisi Zone, Reservoir B
EAST BUCK POINT FIELD
Vermilion Parish, Louisiana

Dear Commissioner Welsh:

Application is hereby made on behalf of **CIMAREX ENERGY COMPANY** for the calling of public hearings, after legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the O Zone, Reservoir B, and the Siph Davisi Zone, Reservoir B, all in the East Buck Point Field, Vermilion Parish, Louisiana:

1. To establish rules and regulations and to create a single drilling and production unit for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the O Zone, Reservoir B, and the Siph Davisi Zone, Reservoir B, all in the East Buck Point Field, Vermilion Parish, Louisiana, said proposed units designated O RB SUA and SD RB SUA, all as shown on the plats attached hereto and made a part hereof.
2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within each of the proposed units with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
3. To provide that any wells drilled to the aforementioned reservoirs should be located in accordance with the spacing provisions of Statewide Order No. 29-E.
4. To provide that the Commissioner of Conservation should be authorized to reclassify each of the sands and reservoirs by supplemental order without the necessity of a public hearing if the

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producing characteristics of each reservoir changes and evidence to justify such reclassification is submitted to and accepted by the Commissioner of Conservation.

5. To consider such others matters as may be pertinent.

The O Zone, Reservoir B, in the East Buck Point Field, is hereby defined as being that gas and condensate bearing zone encountered between the depths of 14,880 feet and 16,100 feet (electrical log measurements) in the Shell Oil Company – State Lease 3636 No. 6 Well, located in Township 15 South, Range 3 East, Vermilion Parish, Louisiana.

The Siph Davisi Zone, Reservoir B, in the East Buck Point Field, is hereby defined as being that gas and condensate bearing zone encountered between the depths of 16,420 feet and 17,870 feet (electrical log measurements) in the Shell Offshore Inc. - State Lease 14579 No. 1 Well, located in Township 15 South, Range 3 East, Vermilion Parish, Louisiana.

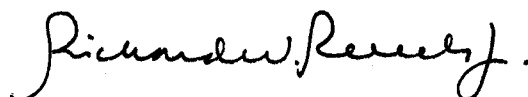
Pertinent data, including well logs, may be obtained **AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY** from W. H. Robbins & Associates, 140 Rue Beauregard, Ste. 100, Lafayette, Louisiana 70508, Telephone Number (337) 232-5004.

Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, pre-application notice was given; however, no request for the conference was received. Therefore, the conference tentatively scheduled for Wednesday, December 3, 2003, WILL NOT BE HELD.

Attached hereto and made a part hereof are plats outlining the applicant's proposals and a list of the names and addresses of the Interested Owners, Represented Parties, and Interested Parties to whom a copy of this application is being mailed. Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, the plat (being the same plat attached to the notice dated November 6, 2003) and list of parties are being furnished only to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Lafayette District of the Office of Conservation; however, the list of parties will be furnished to any party requesting copies. A reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties.

Finally, enclosed is our check on behalf of the applicant, in the amount of \$1,510.00, made payable to the Office of Conservation representing the required hearing application fee.

Very truly yours,



Richard W. Revels, Jr.

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Attachments

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cc: Mr. Richard Hudson, Lafayette District Office of Conservation
cc: Interested Owners, Represented Parties, and Interested Parties

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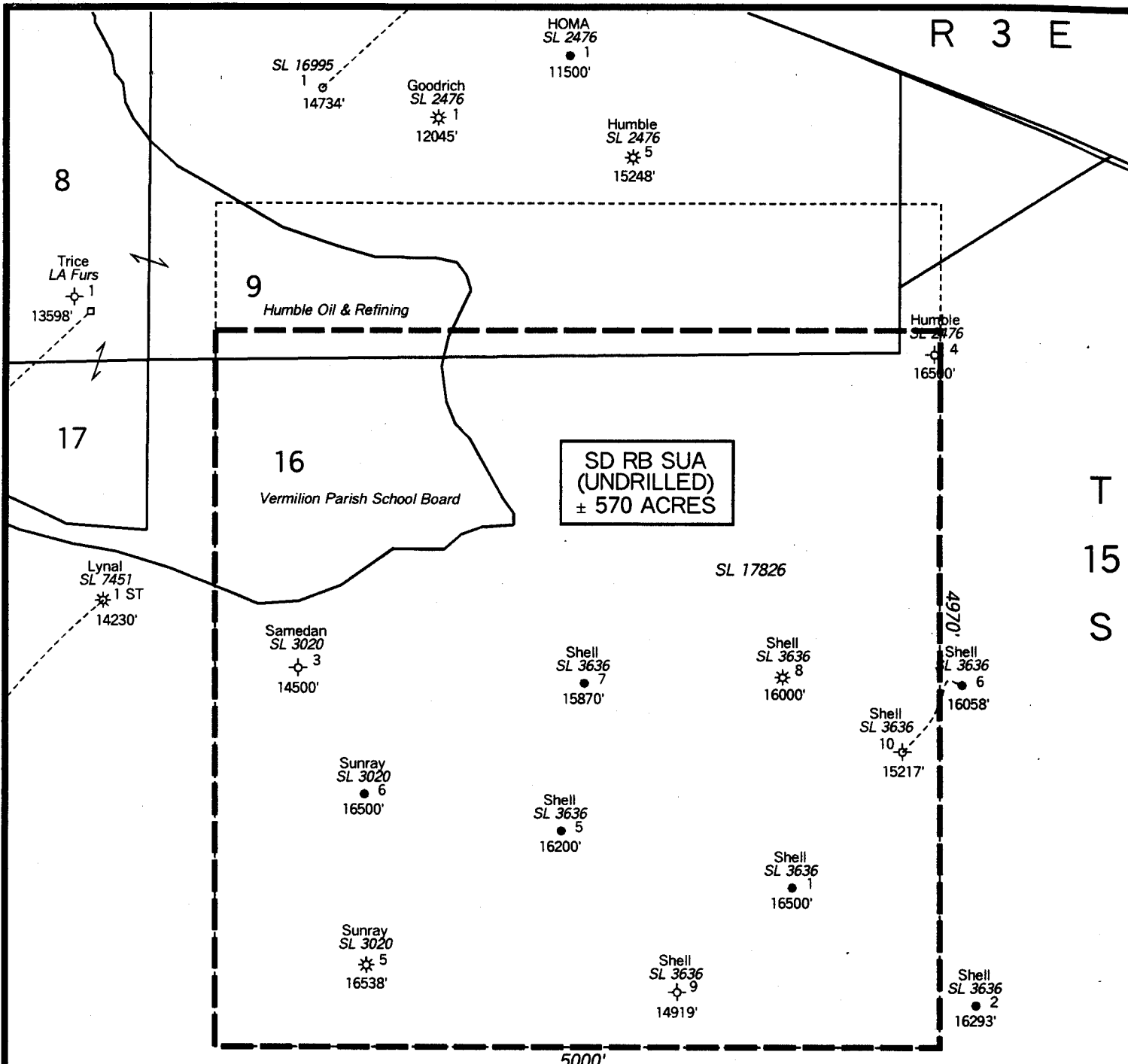


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**EAST BUCK POINT FIELD
VERMILION PARISH, LOUISIANA**

**PROPOSED UNIT
SIPH DAVISI ZONE**

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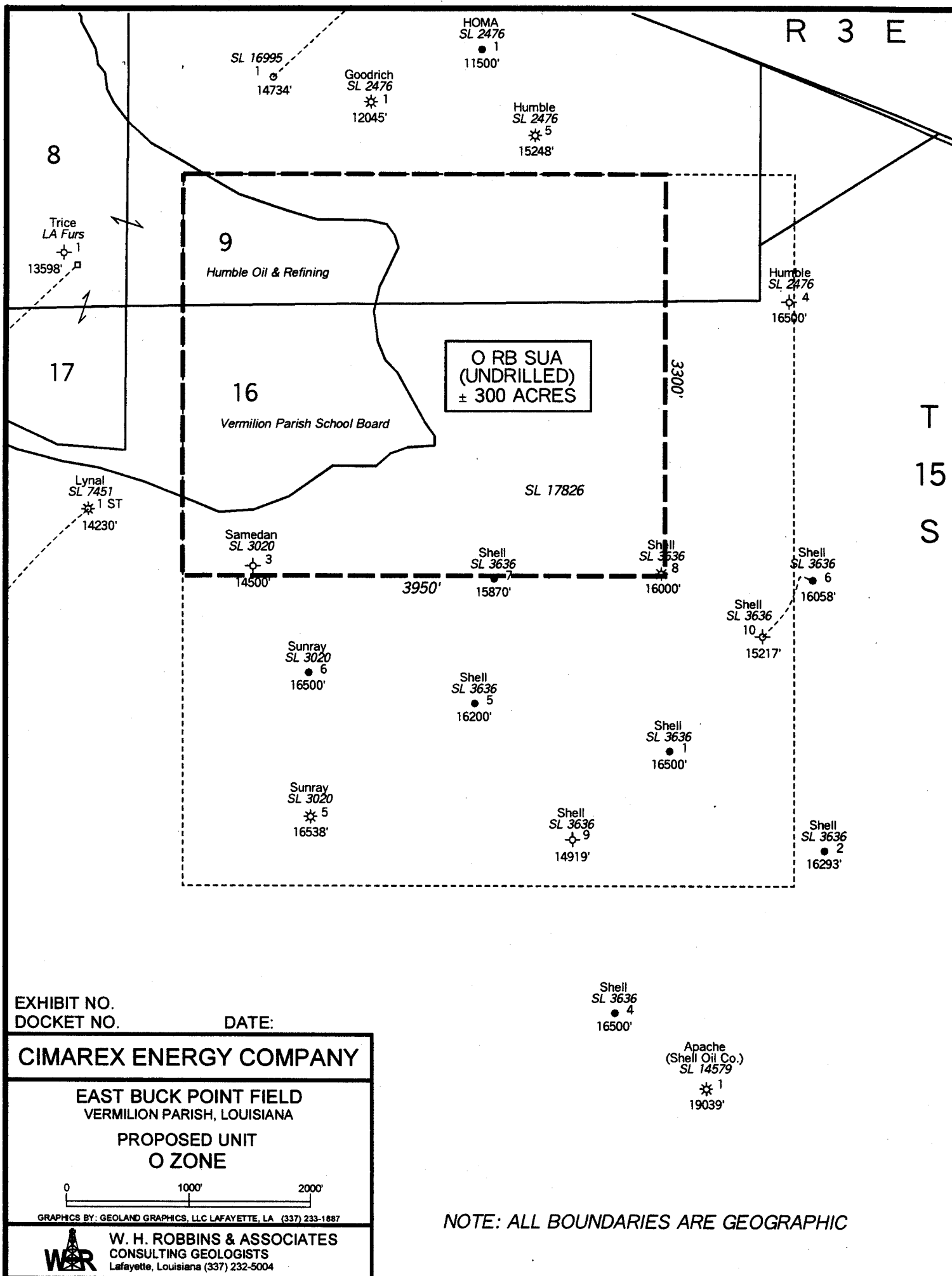


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